

Great Basin Priority Summary - Based on Most Recent 209's
10/02/2020

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New and Emerging Initial Attack Incidents																	
	None																
Ongoing Large Fires – Prioritized for Resource Commitment																	
1	UT-ASF	East Fork (Phinney Lake)	57% Confine 43% Full Supp	13 mi. N of Hanna, UT	71,420	+1,491	70%	10/30/20	Type 3 IC Jon Rupp Ordering T2 IMT	1	3	2	3	1	209	T1/T2IA crews	Moderate threat to critical infrastructure in Yellowstone drainage & values at risk in Brown Duck Basin NW of Moon Lake & Upper Rock Creek
2	UT-UWF	Neffs	Full Suppression	5 mi E of Holladay, UT	60	0	61%	10/11/20	Type 3 IMT Nate Siemers	1	2	1	0	1	125	None	Olympus Cove community, Millcreek with 500 homes in near evacuation status.
3	ID-STF	Badger	Full Suppression	20 mi SW of Oakley, ID	90,143	0	93%	10/23/20	Type 3 IMT Clay Stephens	1	2	1	0	1	153	2 HEQB	Threats are expected to subside as crews make progress burning out fuels along the fire's perimeter creating depth to reinforce previously constructed fireline.
4	ID-PAF	Woodhead	Full Suppression	3 mi NW of Cambridge, ID	96,478	0	62%	10/31/20	Type 3 IMT Arthur Grooms	2	3	2	1	2	245	None	As fuels continue to dry, threat increases to low for residences in the Wildhorse & Council Cuprum Rd/Hornet Creek areas, critical livestock forage, and high-valued timber.
Ongoing Long Duration Fires – Not Being Prioritized for Resource Commitment																	
	ID-BOF	Buck	50% Monitor 50% Full Supp	30 mi. NE of Cascade, ID	19,474	0	40%	10/31/20	Type 4 IC M. Haupt	0	0	0	1	0	28	IR flight	Fire behavior & growth are currently very low. Minimal impacts expected.



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	UT-ASF	Center Creek Trail	Confine	17 mi N of Mountain Home, UT	1,242	+17	0%	10/30/20	Type 3 IC Jon Rupp	0	0	0	0	1	6	None	Moderate threat of fire moving out of the wilderness
	ID-STF	Leggit	80% Monitor 10% Confine 10% PZP	5 Miles E of Atlanta, ID	820	0	0%	10/31/20	Type 4 IC A McKean	0	0	0	0	0	1	None	None
	ID-PAF	Porphyry	Pt Zone Protection	20 mi N of Yellow Pine, ID	14,486	0	0%	10/15/20	Type 4 IC Ashleigh D'Antonia	0	0	0	0	0	15	None	Mining cabins, historic structures

*** Notes of Significance ***

Fires highlighted in yellow have submitted a FINAL ICS-209 or will no longer meet criteria to be prioritized

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Evening Brief

Date: Friday October 2nd, 2020

Weather Summary

*** Warm and Dry Weather through Early Next Week ***

Warm and dry weather will continue through early next week, as an unusually strong high-pressure ridge along the West Coast dominates the west.

Remnants from Hurricane Marie in the eastern Pacific will track north into central California by the middle of next week. This weak upper disturbance may bring some cloud cover over western and northern areas of the Great Basin from mid to late week. Right now there does not appear to be much moisture or instability remaining to produce showers or thunderstorms, but we will be watching this closely, as this type of feature has brought dry lightning to the Great Basin in the past if it has sufficient moisture/instability.

Otherwise, afternoon temperatures will be 5-10 degrees above normal, along with afternoon humidity levels ranging from 6-12% across the southern half of the Great Basin, and 16-23% across most northern areas. Poor to moderate overnight RH recovery can also be expected through early next week. Fortunately, no strong winds, or lightning are expected during the next 7 days. However, breezy westerly winds are expected along the Sierra Front on Sunday.

Smoke will continue to impact western areas of the Great Basin occasionally from fires in California.

Preparedness Levels & Great Basin Fire Activity (from WFDSS)

Great Basin	PL 3	Light Initial Attack Activity
National	PL 4	New Fires and Acres: 9 fires for 13.8 acres. 1,508 acres Large Fire Growth

Fuels/Fire Potential

*** Fuel and Fire Behavior Advisory Remains in Effect for Parts of Idaho, Eastern and southern Nevada into Utah ***

Recent moisture and cool temperatures across northern and eastern areas raised fuel moisture across the mountains of Idaho and Western Wyoming, where ERC's returned to near late September normals.

However, the continuation of above normal temperatures and very dry conditions going into next week will bring about more rapid drying of fuels across all areas of the Great Basin, including Idaho and Wyoming. Fuels in the southern half of the Great Basin are still near record level dryness. Fuels in northern areas will likely approach critical levels again by this weekend or next week.

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Resources:

Aviation within the Great Basin

- 1 VLAT, 3 LATs, 0 CL-415
- 16 SEATs, 0 FB, 8 AA, 0 ASM, 0 LP
- 9 Type 1 Helicopters / 9 Comm.
- 7 Type 2 Helicopters / 7 Comm.
- 18 Type 3 Helicopters / 13 Comm.

Crews Committed within the Great Basin

- 7 IHCs / 0 Available
- 12 Type 2IA / 0 Available

Current Incident Details

Today's Activity (from WFDSS):

Incident Name	Unique Fire Identifier	Size	Status	Latitude	Longitude	Pt. of Origin Sage Grouse Habitat
*Divide	2020-IDCTF-000270	10	Not Contained	44.41491	112.8042	PHMA
*Johnson Bench	2020-UTSES-000396	2.9	Controlled 10/01/20	39.17894	111.0571	NO
*Sherman 2	2020-WYBTF-002036	0.1	Not Contained	42.90551	110.7706	NO
Potts Hollow	2020-UTUWF-201026	0.1	Not Contained	40.50925	111.0468	NO
Henderson Creek	2020-WYBTF-002037	0.1	Not Contained	42.92212	110.7573	NO
Trees	2020-UTSWS-000879	0.1	Not Contained	37.15278	112.9929	NO
Cherry Creek	2020-NVWID-020288	0.1	Not Contained	41.81061	118.5749	OHMA
Arbs Basin	2020-UTUWF-001027	0.1	Not Contained	41.52262	111.4625	SFA
Canyon	2020-UTSCS-200649	0.3	Not Contained	39.63956	111.421	NO

* Fires occurred previous night, not today

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